

Table 6. Personal crimes, 1996:



**Number of victimizations and victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,
by type of crime and gender and race of victims**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over							
	Male				Female			
	White		Black		White		Black	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
All personal crimes	4,441,720	49.8	752,180	62.9	3,296,810	35.2	672,350	47.0
Crimes of violence	4,332,470	48.6	732,570	61.3	3,148,880	33.6	641,520	44.8
Completed violence	1,091,510	12.2	277,430	23.2	955,110	10.2	292,330	20.4
Attempted/threatened violence	3,240,960	36.4	455,140	38.1	2,193,760	23.4	349,190	24.4
Rape/Sexual assault/a	30,070	0.3	0 *	0.0 *	213,250	2.3	47,130	3.3
Robbery	500,940	5.6	199,400	16.7	273,230	2.9	100,790	7.0
Completed/property taken	305,570	3.4	152,370	12.7	194,460	2.1	79,360	5.5
With injury	94,820	1.1	49,350	4.1	72,640	0.8	30,350	2.1
Without injury	210,750	2.4	103,020	8.6	121,820	1.3	49,010	3.4
Attempted to take property	195,370	2.2	47,040	3.9	78,770	0.8	21,440 *	1.5 *
With injury	33,310	0.4	9,690 *	0.8 *	19,140 *	0.2 *	8,370 *	0.6 *
Without injury	162,060	1.8	37,340	3.1	59,640	0.6	13,070 *	0.9 *
Assault	3,801,460	42.7	533,170	44.6	2,662,390	28.4	493,600	34.5
Aggravated	946,960	10.6	232,760	19.5	552,170	5.9	120,120	8.4
With injury	238,400	2.7	67,210	5.6	143,200	1.5	55,740	3.9
Threatened with weapon	708,560	8.0	165,550	13.8	408,970	4.4	64,380	4.5
Simple	2,854,500	32.0	300,400	25.1	2,110,220	22.5	373,480	26.1
With minor injury	534,110	6.0	57,850	4.8	490,300	5.2	122,290	8.5
Without injury	2,320,390	26.0	242,560	20.3	1,619,920	17.3	251,180	17.5
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	109,260	1.2	19,610 *	1.6 *	147,930	1.6	30,830	2.2
Population age 12 and over	89,106,240	...	11,960,190	...	93,747,140	...	14,314,080	...

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

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a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.

Table 6. Personal crimes, 1997:

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**Number of victimizations and victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,
by type of crime and gender and race of victims**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over							
	Male				Female			
	White	Black	White	Black	White	Black	White	Black
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
All personal crimes	4,130,490	45.8	744,620	61.3	3,200,950	33.9	649,400	44.7
Crimes of violence	3,995,390	44.3	717,230	59.0	3,073,200	32.6	589,580	40.6
Completed violence	1,114,940	12.4	247,470	20.4	998,060	10.6	218,000	15.0
Attempted/threatened violence	2,880,460	31.9	469,760	38.6	2,075,130	22.0	371,590	25.6
Rape/Sexual assault/a	28,390	0.3	2,770 *	0.2 *	229,330	2.4	41,120	2.8
Robbery	476,220	5.3	145,100	11.9	227,510	2.4	52,540	3.6
Completed/property taken	296,470	3.3	95,130	7.8	145,690	1.5	38,860	2.7
With injury	141,300	1.6	17,430 *	1.4 *	42,200	0.4	24,160 *	1.7 *
Without injury	155,170	1.7	77,710	6.4	103,490	1.1	14,700 *	1.0 *
Attempted to take property	179,750	2.0	49,960	4.1	81,820	0.9	13,680 *	0.9 *
With injury	44,070	0.5	5,860 *	0.5 *	11,330 *	0.1 *	6,500 *	0.4 *
Without injury	135,680	1.5	44,110	3.6	70,490	0.7	7,180 *	0.5
Assault	3,490,780	38.7	569,360	46.8	2,616,360	27.7	495,920	34.1
Aggravated	952,360	10.6	179,230	14.7	552,330	5.9	147,410	10.1
With injury	277,870	3.1	69,980	5.8	178,780	1.9	51,170	3.5
Threatened with weapon	674,490	7.5	109,260	9.0	373,560	4.0	96,240	6.6
Simple	2,538,420	28.1	390,130	32.1	2,064,020	21.9	348,520	24.0
With minor injury	518,520	5.7	79,590	6.5	523,100	5.5	92,830	6.4
Without injury	2,019,900	22.4	310,540	25.5	1,540,930	16.3	255,690	17.6
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	135,100	1.5	27,390 *	2.3 *	127,750	1.4	59,810	4.1
Population age 12 and over	90,259,660	...	12,156,280	...	94,357,820	...	14,527,100	...

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

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Table 6. Personal crimes, 1998:

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**Number of victimizations and victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,
by type of crime and gender and race of victims**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over							
	Male				Female			
	White		Black		White		Black	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
All personal crimes	4,007,490	44.1	606,530	49.3	2,960,200	31.1	575,160	39.1
Crimes of violence	3,916,950	43.1	573,320	46.6	2,824,210	29.7	552,130	37.5
Completed violence	1,034,230	11.4	228,510	18.6	989,650	10.4	204,480	13.9
Attempted/threatened violence	2,882,720	31.8	344,800	28.0	1,834,560	19.3	347,650	23.6
Rape/Sexual assault/a	14,610 *	0.2 *	6,270 *	0.5 *	256,250	2.7	48,610	3.3
Robbery	389,540	4.3	76,540	6.2	298,060	3.1	82,680	5.6
Completed/property taken	234,970	2.6	73,970	6.0	208,920	2.2	60,350	4.1
With injury	68,480	0.8	17,420 *	1.4 *	62,030	0.7	10,710 *	0.7 *
Without injury	166,490	1.8	56,550	4.6	146,890	1.5	49,640	3.4
Attempted to take property	154,570	1.7	2,570 *	0.2 *	89,140	0.9	22,320 *	1.5 *
With injury	40,760	0.4	0 *	0.0 *	23,030 *	0.2 *	5,710 *	0.4 *
Without injury	113,810	1.3	2,570 *	0.2 *	66,110	0.7	16,620 *	1.1 *
Assault	3,512,800	38.7	490,500	39.9	2,269,900	23.9	420,840	28.6
Aggravated	881,160	9.7	217,060	17.6	411,290	4.3	104,850	7.1
With injury	283,290	3.1	86,620	7.0	106,490	1.1	46,660	3.2
Threatened with weapon	597,870	6.6	130,440	10.6	304,800	3.2	58,190	4.0
Simple	2,631,640	29.0	273,440	22.2	1,858,610	19.6	315,980	21.5
With minor injury	510,600	5.6	61,650	5.0	490,550	5.2	68,250	4.6
Without injury	2,121,030	23.4	211,790	17.2	1,368,060	14.4	247,730	16.8
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	90,540	1.0	33,220	2.7	135,990	1.4	23,040 *	1.6 *
Population age 12 and over	90,783,720	...	12,307,170	...	95,047,720	...	14,713,430	...

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

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Table 6. Personal crimes, 1999:

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**Number of victimizations and victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,
by type of crime and gender and race of victims**

Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over							
	Male				Female			
	White		Black		White		Black	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
All personal crimes	3,484,120	38.1	535,580	42.7	2,654,710	27.6	644,610	43.0
Crimes of violence	3,398,310	37.1	523,220	41.7	2,581,770	26.9	622,470	41.5
Completed violence	937,840	10.2	175,030	14.0	861,130	9.0	224,910	15.0
Attempted/threatened violence	2,460,470	26.9	348,190	27.8	1,720,640	17.9	397,560	26.5
Rape/Sexual assault/a	36,250	0.4	3,090 *	0.2 *	259,210	2.7	68,620	4.6
Robbery	403,140	4.4	130,630	10.4	172,300	1.8	80,620	5.4
Completed/property taken	247,900	2.7	96,250	7.7	118,350	1.2	51,870	3.5
With injury	78,730	0.9	26,580	2.1 *	52,230	0.5	23,710 *	1.6 *
Without injury	169,170	1.8	69,670	5.6	66,120	0.7	28,150 *	1.9 *
Attempted to take property	155,240	1.7	34,380	2.7	53,950	0.6	28,750 *	1.9 *
With injury	42,100	0.5	10,980 *	0.9 *	20,760 *	0.2 *	4,240 *	0.3 *
Without injury	113,140	1.2	23,410 *	1.9 *	33,190	0.3	24,520 *	1.6 *
Assault	2,958,930	32.3	389,500	31.0	2,150,260	22.4	473,220	31.6
Aggravated	765,440	8.4	150,440	12.0	393,320	4.1	140,510	9.4
With injury	247,320	2.7	38,730	3.1	117,850	1.2	35,920	2.4
Threatened with weapon	518,120	5.7	111,710	8.9	275,470	2.9	104,590	7.0
Simple	2,193,490	24.0	239,060	19.1	1,756,930	18.3	332,710	22.2
With minor injury	415,530	4.5	36,960	2.9	422,820	4.4	82,210	5.5
Without injury	1,777,970	19.4	202,100	16.1	1,334,110	13.9	250,500	16.7
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	85,810	0.9	12,360 *	1.0 *	72,940	0.8	22,140	1.5 *
Population age 12 and over	91,518,450	...	12,546,240	...	90,057,550	...	14,993,590	...

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Table 6. Personal crimes, 2000:

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Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over							
	Male				Female			
	White	Black	White	Black	White	Black	White	Black
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
All personal crimes	3,031,090	32.8	574,910	45.1	2,309,500	23.8	467,000	30.7
Crimes of violence	2,943,530	31.8	553,510	43.4	2,194,360	22.7	434,610	28.5
Completed violence	790,080	8.5	185,700	14.6	813,690	8.4	167,650	11.0
Attempted/threatened violence	2,153,440	23.3	367,810	28.9	1,380,660	14.3	266,960	17.5
Rape/Sexual assault/a	14,770 *	0.2 *	0 *	0.0 *	201,580	2.1	33,780	2.2
Robbery	342,550	3.7	135,830	10.7	161,190	1.7	65,500	4.3
Completed/property taken	220,750	2.4	92,360	7.2	129,890	1.3	53,230	3.5
With injury	65,890	0.7	32,290	2.5	41,950	0.4	7,450 *	0.5 *
Without injury	154,870	1.7	60,080	4.7	87,930	0.9	45,790	3.0
Attempted to take property	121,800	1.3	43,460	3.4	31,300	0.3	12,260 *	0.8 *
With injury	36,790	0.4	19,120 *	1.5 *	9,780 *	0.1 *	0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	85,010	0.9	24,340 *	1.9 *	21,520 *	0.2 *	12,260 *	0.8 *
Assault	2,586,210	28.0	417,690	32.8	1,831,580	18.9	335,330	22.0
Aggravated	725,850	7.8	152,780	12.0	300,580	3.1	63,910	4.2
With injury	170,210	1.8	49,590	3.9	94,830	1.0	14,700 *	1.0 *
Threatened with weapon	555,640	6.0	103,190	8.1	205,750	2.1	49,200	3.2
Simple	1,860,360	20.1	264,910	20.8	1,531,000	15.8	271,420	17.8
With minor injury	390,540	4.2	43,750	3.4	437,630	4.5	81,630	5.4
Without injury	1,469,820	15.9	221,160	17.4	1,093,370	11.3	189,790	12.5
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	87,560	0.9	21,400 *	1.7 *	115,140	1.2	32,390	2.1
Population age 12 and over	92,466,090	...	12,741,620	...	96,841,950	...	15,236,560	...

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

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Table 6. Personal crimes, 2001:

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**Number of victimizations and victimization rates for persons age 12 and over,
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Type of crime	Rate per 1,000 persons age 12 and over							
	Male				Female			
	White		Black		White		Black	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
All personal crimes	2,602,860	27.9	409,380	31.7	2,229,490	22.8	499,410	32.3
Crimes of violence	2,537,870	27.2	398,090	30.8	2,144,890	21.9	488,110	31.6
Completed violence	701,890	7.5	165,910	12.8	735,500	7.5	175,480	11.4
Attempted/threatened violence	1,835,970	19.6	232,190	18.0	1,409,380	14.4	312,630	20.2
Rape/Sexual assault/a	16,600 *	0.2 *	6,330 *	0.5 *	183,640	1.9	25,930 *	1.7 *
Robbery	321,400	3.4	82,970	6.4	183,100	1.9	20,270 *	1.3 *
Completed/property taken	198,110	2.1	67,130	5.2	133,450	1.4	11,190 *	0.7 *
With injury	87,170	0.9	19,250 *	1.5 *	56,470	0.6	7,840 *	0.5 *
Without injury	110,940	1.2	47,880	3.7	76,980	0.8	3,360 *	0.2 *
Attempted to take property	123,290	1.3	15,840 *	1.2 *	49,650	0.5	9,070 *	0.6 *
With injury	43,920	0.5	3,750 *	0.3 *	13,800 *	0.1 *	3,780 *	0.2 *
Without injury	79,370	0.8	12,090 *	0.9 *	35,850	0.4	5,290 *	0.3 *
Assault	2,199,860	23.5	308,790	23.9	1,778,150	18.2	441,910	28.6
Aggravated	600,660	6.4	114,370	8.8	365,990	3.7	116,450	7.5
With injury	196,480	2.1	48,530	3.8	102,660	1.0	35,190	2.3
Threatened with weapon	404,180	4.3	65,840	5.1	263,330	2.7	81,250	5.3
Simple	1,599,200	17.1	194,420	15.0	1,412,170	14.4	325,460	21.1
With minor injury	298,230	3.2	43,920	3.4	384,940	3.9	105,770	6.8
Without injury	1,300,970	13.9	150,500	11.6	1,027,230	10.5	219,690	14.2
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	64,990	0.7	11,290 *	0.9 *	84,600	0.9	11,310 *	0.7 *
Population age 12 and over	93,442,010	...	12,927,010	...	97,773,260	...	15,458,330	...

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